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Leland Supton.

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Members of Senior Class
of
Gold-Sand High School



MR. J. L. ARMSTRONG

To Whom

in grateful recognition of the large part he had in making this school possible, and in deep appreciation of his untiring interest in us during the two years he was our principal, the first volume of Golden Pebbles is affectionately dedicated,

Leland here's wishing you
the best success in life, and
when you become professor
of Latin in some college?
Hope that you may get the pleasure
from that what I did teaching Latin
to the Class of '29 at Holy Cross. J. L. Armstrong

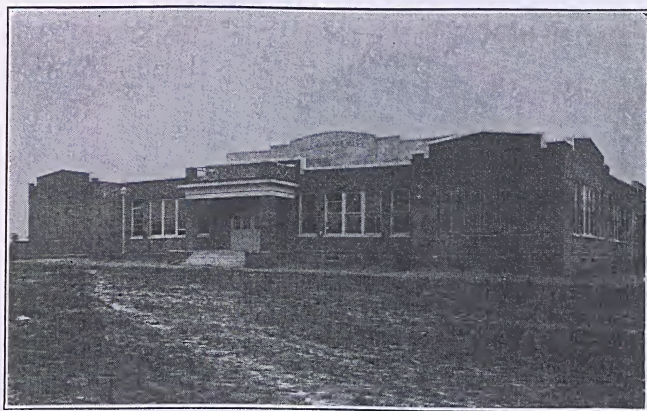
How We Have Grown



1922



1923



1926

"Truly 'tis a noble building"
"Fond pride of every student,"
"Worthy of our love sincere."

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Golden Pebbles

1927

May success be yours
during the coming year
is my wish.



MISS LILLIE HARPER
English and History

Even if you did stop
at this point, it is
something to
M. H. Rich



MISS MARGARET RICH
Math and French

Don't stop
drinking, Leland,
until you have
made yourself
to know that
you are a
person.



CHAS. B. HOWARD, Principal
Science



*You have worked
hard - Continue
to climb and
may God's richest
blessings rest
upon you.*

MISS DOZA UPCHURCH
Latin and Civics



*Am very glad to
have known
you this year.
Better continue
your music. you'll
never regret it.*

MISS JESSIE M. LUPER
Piano

Hope your school career will be a success



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Mascot

SENIORS



Motto: "We Will"

FLOWER: *Daisy*

COLORS: *Lavender and White*

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HENRY LEONARD
MOZELLE LEONARD
ALTA WEST



SENIOR CLASS POEM

'Tis now the time of parting,
Of leaving all that's dear.
We've made our last and biggest fight,
For things worked for from year to year.

We're leaving you, our Alma Mater,
With gladness, sadness and a stronger mind,
To go into the world undaunted,
To reach our goal in course of time.

Four long years that we have struggled,
Three of which seemed dark and long.
But the last and hardest of all was ours,
When like Seniors, we met work with a song.

The time has passed; it is done,
Our four years course is o'er.
The friendship here that's been so strong,
We'll miss and appreciate as never before.

Let's stand together, class mates,
While loud and long we raise
One farewell word at parting,
Three lively cheers in Gold-Sand's praise.

Adieu to you, our Alma Mater,
May you thrive, as we new places fill.
We'll try to win in honor for you,
And our motto says "We Will".

POET.



EMMA GERTRUDE ANDREWS

Age 20, Height 5 feet 5 inches, Weight 111

*"Let me live in the house by the side of
the road
And be a friend to man."*

Gertie has a lovable disposition. There is not a more consecrated and earnest girl in our class. Even though she has been with us only one year, we have found her to be dependable, cheerful and loyal. She is a true friend and a hard worker, and we expect great things of her in the future.

President Astro Society Fall Term '26; Editor-in-Chief Gold-Sand News Fall Term '26; Testator Senior Class '27; Most dignified.

ALICE LILA DePRIEST

Age 19, Height 5 feet 3 inches, Weight 115

"I live to serve others"

Alice is a girl who says little and does much. She is a true member of the senior class and is always ready and willing to help anyone she can. She is a friend to every one. We feel sure she will be successful in whatever she undertakes.

Treasurer Senior Class '27; Most Studious Girl.





DAVID THOMAS FULLER

Age 17, Height 5 feet 9 inches, Weight 135

"He conquers twice

Who conquers himself and victory."

Steady, clever, conscientious, ambitious, industrious, a willing worker and a good all-round fellow—that's David. Whenever he tackles a job, you may consider it done, then and there. When we say goodbye to David, we are losing one of our best friends and classmates. To be "exempt" is his aim.

Prophet Senior Class '27; Junior Critic Phi Society '26; Business Manager "Golden Pebbles" '27; Commencement Debater '27; Best All Round Boy.

GEORGE DUKE FULLER

Age 17, Height 5 feet 10 inches, Weight 135

"Think deep, not loud."

True worth is in being, not seeming. In George we find the characteristics of a true student, friend and classmate. He is a willing worker at whatever he is called upon to do. You will always find him smiling even when others frown. He is a true athlete and a good sport. He, as one of the Senior twins, makes quite an addition to our class.

Secretary of Phi Society Fall Term '26; Treasurer of Phi. Society '27; Basketball Team '26-'27; Most Dependable.





HAROLD HUNTER GARBEE

Age 16, Height 5 feet 9 inches, Weight 140

"To reach the heights through honesty."

Harold was voted the most handsome boy in our class and rightly deserves it. He is very inquisitive and his curiosity is easily aroused. If you like to talk he is with you, but you must talk with reason or he will not consider it. His friendly and generous disposition has made him an ideal sport and associate.

Senior Critic of Phi. Society Fall Term '26; President of Phi. Society Spring Term '27; Basket Ball Team '26-'27; Most Handsome Boy.

KIRBY SMITH GUPTON

Age 21, Height 5 feet 9 inches, Weight 143

"My thoughts, my words, my actions are my own."

Sincerity, honesty and true scholarship all form themselves into one distinguished form—namely, Kirby Gupton. For four years he has been with us making quite an addition to our class and school. His broad-mindedness and ambition is worthy only of such a person as we have found him to be. We wish for him the best that life can offer.

President of Society '25-'26; President of Phi. Society Fall Term '26; Senior Critic of Phi. Society Spring Term '27; Assistant Editor "Golden Pebbles" '27; Historian Senior Class '27; Most Studious Boy.





MARY ETTA HARRIS

Age 21, Height 5 feet 8 inches, Weight 152

"I love to help others."

"And 'neath it all lies a heart of purest gold." Pleasant, smiling Etta, always ready to help and sympathize. She is a girl to be trusted, never saying anything about a person if it can't be good. With her "Hey folksies", she begins the day with a smile and eagerness which always accomplishes something worth while during the day. We are sure that no student will be missed more next year than she.

Critic of Crawford Society '25; Vice-President of Senior Class '27; Gold-Sand Paper Staff '26; Best All Round Girl.

GLADYS MARIE HOLLINGSWORTH

Age 20, Height 5 feet 2 inches, Weight 115

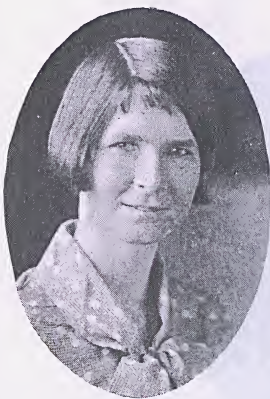
"Better late than never."

Gladys keeps up with her work and is always ready to lend a helping hand. Her smile has won for her many friends and it may be truly said of her that when she laughs the world laughs with her. She has been with us only one year, but her services to us are innumerable. We are sure that wherever she goes she will win for herself honors that she well deserves.

Giftorian of Senior Class '27; Treasurer of Astro. Society Fall Term '27; Member of Choir '27; Most Stylish Girl.



I will always remember you



DORIS NELL JOYNER

Age 17, Height 5 feet 3 inches, Weight 97

"No victory without labor."

"Laughing Nell", as we call her, is the smallest member of our class. She is very interested in her school work and never idles her time away because she thinks it will take all of her life to accomplish her aims. You can depend on Nell to do her part in everything.

Secretary of Crawford Society '24; Secretary of Senior Class '27; Choir '27; Assistant Editor Paper Staff '27; Most Athletic.

WILLIAM HENRY LEONARD

Age 21, Height 5 feet 8 inches, Weight 140

"Climb though the way be rugged."

When we think of the quietest boy in the Senior Class, we naturally turn to Henry. He is very much interested in athletics; after he finishes his work he spends the remainder of his time talking to G—. We feel sure that the community to which he goes will be greatly enriched by his presence.

President of Athletic Association '27; Choir '27; President of Crawford Society '25; Secretary of Stonewall Society '23; Biggest Flirt.



I think. But not sure.

*Remember the
Happy days at Gold-
Sand we spent together.*



EMMERGINE MOZELLE LEONARD

Age 17, Height 5 feet 6 inches, Weight 135

"Where there's a will there is a way."

Mozelle is a girl who is admired for her quietness. One seldom knows she is around unless you see her. For the one year she has been a student with us we have found her to be an excellent worker who does her part in everything. You may think she is distant and reserved until you know her, then you find she is a sincere friend to all and has one of the biggest hearts in our class.

Poet of Senior Class '27; Treasurer of Astro. Society Spring Term '27; Best Sport.

ALTA MAE WEST

Age 19, Height 5 feet 6 inches, Weight 115

"It can be done."

"Hello there!" that's Alta. When we are looking for anything to be done we always turn to Alta because we know she can do it. She writes poems and short stories and gets exempted on all her subjects, but the thing she likes to do best is talk to W—.

President Girls' Club '24-'25; President Senior Class '27; President Astro. Society Spring Term '27; Editor-in-Chief of Gold-Sand News '27; Editor-in-Chief Golden Pebbles '27; President Girls' Club '26-'27; Member Choir '27; Treasurer Athletic Association '26-'27; Prettiest Girl.



Senior Class History



On October 8, 1923 forty-five boys and girls entered Gold-Sand High School. The thirty-eight of us that entered the Freshman Class that year were as fresh and green as the building in which we entered, but as the days passed on we gradually lost some of our freshness and began to realize the joy of high school work.

The next year we entered as Sophomores. Our hearts were sad because twenty-three of our number did not return. We were glad to welcome Mr. J. L. Armstrong as Principal and Miss Irene Taylor as one of our high school teachers. Our work for that year was somewhat better because we had at last become accustomed to high school work. We took an active part in society, athletics and other phases of school life.

As Juniors there were only four of us to carry the banner of our class, which we did with high honors. The fact that we were a small class enabled us to get the best of instruction, especially from Miss Harper who has taught us from the beginning of our high school course. We are deeply indebted to her and we shall never forget the fundamental principles that she has taught us. The one outstanding event that year which caused our hearts to bubble with joy was the election giving us our splendid and well-equipped high school building.

When we came to the last year of our high school course, there were many things in store for us; namely a new building with many conveniences and a library that would be a credit to any high school. Our number grew from four to twelve and several additions were made to our faculty. Mr. Howard came to us as principal and teacher of Science, Miss Rich teacher of Math and French, Miss Upchurch teacher of Latin and Civics, and Miss Luper teacher of Piano. Among the many things we have enjoyed during the year is the religious atmosphere that has prevailed. Each senior has conducted chapel exercises, which has been an inspiration to all of us.

We are grateful to our teachers, whose instructions cannot be equaled, and we shall never forget the associations and friendships we have formed. From the depths of our hearts we wish to thank you, one and all, who have made our high school course a success.

Now as we come to the end of our high school career and look back over the pages of our history, it is our sincerest hope and desire that those who follow after may make deeper footprints in the "Sand".

HISTORIAN.

Senior Class Prophecy



On June the sixteenth, nineteen hundred and forty, as I was on my way to one of our largest hospitals in Chicago, I met Harold Garbee, who I learned was an aviator. He proposed that I spend the night with him, an invitation which I gladly accepted.

The next morning Harold suggested that I take a trip with him on his aeroplane. After much hesitation I decided to go. Our first stop was made in Washington, D. C., as my companion wished to see an old friend whose name he refused to mention. Imagine my surprise when I found it to be Congressman Gupton. We spent only fifteen minutes with him, as he had to present a bill that day pertaining to a renewal of the use of light wines and beers in the United States.

We next stopped in Atlanta, Ga., where we learned that Alta West was pianist for a great evangelistic singer.

Two hours later, we were in Greensboro where we happened to see written on an office window: *Gertie Andrews, Attorney-at-Law*. Of course, we went in to see her. We found her working on a divorce case between a Mr. and Mrs. Jones, a prominent couple of that city. The latter we learned was formerly Miss Etta Harris. Together we walked over to the court house to hear the case. As we walked in we were greatly astounded to find George Fuller presiding over the court as judge.

After the case was over we rode on to Raleigh where we found Mrs. Gardner, formerly Nell Joyner, at home in the Governor's Mansion. We had dinner with her and a long talk with the governor. He told us that Henry Leonard was teaching the boys at State College how to milk cows.

Our next stop was in Louisburg. There we found Alice DePriest serving as Home Demonstration Agent. How glad we were to see her!

On leaving Louisburg, we headed for Gold-Sand and in a few minutes we were landing on the school campus. We hurried into the school building nearly running into Gladys Hollingsworth. She was still the same, small figure but she had an air of authority, and we were not surprised to learn that she was principal of Gold-Sand High School.

We were preparing to ride back to Louisburg for lunch, when a lady stepped out of the door of the old building and advanced toward us. We recognized her as she came near as to be Mozelle Leonard, who was now managing the teacherage and acting as dietitian for the school. She asked us to remain for lunch, an invitation which we gladly accepted.

We sat up that night and talked of old times. -Harold gave me this very interesting information about our high school faculty. Mr. Howard had been elected to the presidency of Wake Forest College and had taken as his one aim to try to stop the boys from chewing tobacco on the campus.

Misses Rich and Luper were teaching music in one of our largest colleges, having studied in Paris and Berlin.

Miss Harper had decided to take a doctor's course. She was very successful in her attempt, and was at this time practicing in Louisburg.

Miss Upchurch was head of the Latin Department of Louisburg College.

Thus ended a very enjoyable trip for we had seen all our classmates, and had learned the whereabouts of our faculty of '27.

PROPHET.

Last Will and Testament



We, the first Senior Class, of Gold-Sand High School, upon leaving our beloved school, having certain possessions which must needs be disposed of, take this means of bequeathing to the school, faculty, students, and friends the following things:

To the school, we leave our good wishes for success in its task of making the boys and girls of today into the strong, honorable, and worthy men and women of tomorrow.

To the trustees, who have made this school and training possible for us we leave our sincere appreciation of all they have done for us. They have ever been our friends and have made our hardships easier to bear.

To Mr. Howard, our principal, we leave plenty of time to do all the things he wishes to do without having to sit up all night.

To Miss Harper, we leave our undying devotion and gratitude in appreciation of the love and patience that she has shown us during the one year she has been our honorary member.

To Miss Rich, we leave entire freedom from all study hall duties to practice plays.

To Miss Upchurch, we leave the privilege of punishing all the ninth grade boys in any way she chooses for misbehavior in the study hall.

To Miss Luper, our first music teacher, we will all the time needed for her classes so she will not have to teach after school.

To Mrs. Williams, we leave a new Ford with which to take the teachers to and from school.

To Miss Parrish, we leave the privilege of reporting the driver of the Wood truck for driving too fast and leaving the truck windows open on cold days.

To Miss May, we leave the privilege of going with one of our Junior boys as often as she chooses.

To Mrs. Person, we grant the privilege of seeing after the Lunch Room.

To Mrs. Garbee, our Lunch Room matron, we leave plenty of sugar to sweeten the cocoa each day.

To Mr. Foster, our janitor, we will an electric sweeper so that he may get the school building swept without working till ten o'clock at night.

To the Freshman Class, we leave three more years of hard work.

To the Sophomore Class, we leave the privilege of walking up and down the halls during any period of the day.

To each of the Juniors, our natural heirs, we leave the following:

Kirby Gupton wills to Josh Tharrington the privilege of vamping all the girls.

Gertie Andrews wills to Elizabeth Fuller her wonderful voice.

Henry Leonard wills to Owen Tharrington all his love for M—.

Gladys Hollingsworth wills to Maggie Joyner her dignified ways.

Etta Harris wills to Lois May the art of mastering Algebra.

George Fuller wills to Manrice Bledsoe all his vacant periods to flirt with the high school teachers.

David Fuller wills to Linwood Murphy his habit of shaving every other day.

Nell Joyner wills to Bruce Tharrington her seat on the Moulton-Hayes truck.

Alta West wills to Hattie Bell Gupton her Senior privileges.

Alice DePriest wills to Mable Foster her attractive ways.

Mozelle Leonard wills to Eugene Harper all her sweet smiles.

Harold Garbee wills to Graham Nelms the art of being the most handsome boy in the class.

This being all of our property which we wish to dispose of at the present, we do hereby fasten our seal, this fifth day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-Seven.

Signed, SENIOR CLASS OF '27.

TESTATOR.

Golden Pebbles

just a old sport

French Bull

Remember me
always

1927

The same old me



The quiet wonder

Juniors

The best is
yet to come.

Class Officers

President.....	MAURICE BLEDSOE
Vice-President.....	ELIZABETH FULLER
Secretary.....	LOIS MAY
Treasurer.....	HATTIE BELL GUPTON
Class Adviser.....	MR. HOWARD



MOTTO: "They can who think they can."

FLOWER: Sweet Pea

COLORS: Blue and White

MEMBERS



MAURICE BLEDSOE
ELIZABETH FULLER
MABEL FOSTER
HATTIE BELL GUPTON
MAGGIE JOYNER
EUGENE HARPER

LINWOOD MURPHY
LOIS MAY
GRAHAM NELMS
JOSH THARRINGTON
BRUCE THARRINGTON
OWEN THARRINGTON

1927

"I hope your Sophomore
year will bring you greater
pleasure than mine
did."
H.W.L.

Golden Pebbles



Sophomores



Class Officers

President.....	WILLIS MAY
Vice-President.....	RACHEL GARBEЕ
Secretary.....	MARY LOU GUPTON
Treasurer.....	ROY AYSOUE
Honorary Member.....	MISS RICH



MOTTO: "Striving onward and upward."

FLOWER: *Hyacinth*

COLORS: *Purple and Gold*

MEMBERS

LALAH AYCOCKE
ALBERTA AYCOCKE
ROY AYSOUE
GLAYDS BLEDSOE
JASPER CONN
IRENE DePRIEST
BLOUNT EGERTON
RACHEL GARBEЕ
FLOYD GRIFFIN
FREELAND GREEN
CLARENCE GUPTON
MARY LOU GUPTON
PARHAM GUPTON

REUBEN GUPTON
EDDIE JOYNER
BRYANT LEONARD
ANNIE LAURIE MAY
WILLIS MAY
ANNIE BELL MURPHY
ESTELLE MURPHY
MARY ALICE MURPHY
HALLIE PARRISH
DELL PEARCE
THURMAN PERDUE
HELEN THARRINGTON
ANNIE BURT THARRINGTON

Leland Gupton
Wilbur Raynor
PAL'S

Remember me to
one of your old
pellets mates.
S.E.C. 1927

Golden Pebbles

Frances Tharrington



Freshmen Class Officers

President.....	MABLE GUPTON
Vice-President.....	WILBUR RAYNOR
Secretary.....	LEONA RAYNOR
Treasurer.....	RUFFIN HARPER
Honorary Member.....	MISS LUPER

MOTTO: "Try and win."

FLOWER: White Rose

COLORS: Green and White

MEMBERS

ALICE ALLEN
RACHEL ALLEN
ANNIE LEE AYSQUE
GRACE AYSQUE
HAZEL AYSQUE
THURSTON AYSQUE
DALMA AYCOCKE
IRMA AYCOCKE
SUSIE BURNETTE
BLAND BURNETTE
LUCY BREEDLOVE
LESSIE BREEDLOVE
PEARL BARTHOLOMEW
ZENA BLEDSOE
PERRY LEE BOBBITT
EUGENE BOBBITT
NANCY BURNETTE
ROBERT LEE BURNETTE
AILEEN COOPER
ALVIN COOPER

ERNESTINE COTTRELL
JEWELL COTTRELL
NARCISSA CLARK
WALTER FULLER
EULA GRIFFIN
AUBREY GUPTON
CLINTON GUPTON
IRMA GUPTON
MABEL GUPTON
MYRA GUPTON
LELAND GUPTON
RUFFIN HARPER
AVA JOYNER
MAVIS JOYNER
PAUL JOYNER
CLAUDE KERLEY
EULA KEITH
HAZEL LESTER
PATTIE RUTH MOORE
CLYDE MOSELEY

LONNIE MURPHY
HELEN PARRISH
ANNIE PEARL PERDUE
THOMAS PERDUE
ANNIE LOU PERNELL
LILLIE PERNELL
MYRTLE PERNELL
SPEED PERNELL
VIOLA PERNELL
OLA FEAROE
LEONA RAYNOR
WILBUR RAYNOR
SAUNDERS ROWE
THURSTON SMITH
GRACE STAINBACK
TORBERT STURGES
FRANCES THARRINGTON
SWANNIE WEST
ATHALEHA WOOD
ELEANOR WOOD



Next Year's Freshmen



CENTERVILLE

BOBBY ANDREWS
ALBERT ANDREWS
LUCILLE FOSTER
THURMAN GRIFFIN
WILTON LEONARD
LEONA WOOD
BEANIE MAY
WILLA DePRIEST
BEULAH GRIFFIN
RUBY WOOD
PRESTON RADFORD
MYRTLE RADFORD
EUNICE GRIFFIN
MINNIE RUTH MURPHY
BELLE PEARCE
DONALD GRIFFIN
RUSSELL BURNETTE
GRAY LANCASTER

SANDY CREEK

ASTOR PARRISH
HATTIE HOUSE
LORENE ALLEN

WOOD

DORIS WESTER
MAURICE WESTER
THOMAS DENTON
CLEE GRIFFIN
WILMER GUPTON

MOULTON-HAYES

BURT PERDUE
IDA FULLER
FULLER PARRISH

MT. GROVE

ANNIE PAULKNER
LULA BETT PERNELL
LOUIS PERNELL
CLEVELAND AYSCHUE
ENID KERLEY
PATTIE AYSCHUE

GOLD-SAND

ESTHER BAILEY
THELMA CHAMPION
PATTIE F. EDWARDS
SUE EGERTON
LIZZIE HARRIS
HAZEL HARPER
PATTIE JOHNSON
BETTIE B. MARSHALL
MYRTICE UPCHURCH
GEORGE JOHNSON
BUNNIE MURPHY
WILSON PARRISH
THOMAS STEED
PERRY CONN
LEE BURT GRIFFIN

*Don't
forget me!*

Remember me!

*Remember A
Freshmen 1927
Leland Haydon*



Piano Class

Miss JESSIE M. LUPER, Teacher



CLASS ROLL

EULA GRIFFIN
LOTTIE JOYNER
FRANCES GRIFFIN
IDA STUART PARRISH
HELEN ALSTON
BRYANT LEONARD
AILEEN COOPER
GLADYS BLEDSOE
LELAND GUPTON
ANNIE PEARL PERDUE
ANNIE LAURIE MAY
GRAHAM NELMS
PEARL BARTHOLOMEW
LEONA RAYNOR

EMILY BURT PERSON
SUE EGERTON
FREELAND GREEN
ZENA BLEDSOE
EDGAR FULLER
HAZEL AYSUE
IRMA GUPTON
BRUCE THARRINGTON
ELIZABETH FULLER
DAVID PARRISH
LUCY STUART PARRISH
WILSON PARRISH
IDA FULLER
HELEN HALE

1927

Always
remember
your class
friends

Golden Pebbles



Astrotekton Literary Society

MOTTO: "SERVICE"

Flower: *Goldenrod*

Colors: *White and Gold*

Fall Term Officers

President.....	GERTIE ANDREWS
Vice-President.....	LOIS MAY
Secretary.....	GLADYS BLEDSOE
Assistant Secretary.....	MAVIS JOYNER
Chorister.....	NELL JOYNER
Treasurer.....	GLADYS HOLLINGSWORTH
Critic.....	MISS HARPER
Monitor.....	AILEEN COOPER

Spring Term Officers

President.....	ALTA WEST
Vice-President.....	NELL JOYNER
Secretary.....	MARY LOU GUPTON
Assistant Secretary.....	HALLIE PARRISH
Chorister.....	MISS HARPER
Treasurer.....	MOZELLE LEONARD
Critic.....	MISS RICH
Monitor.....	GERTIE ANDREWS

Base Ball pitcher

Golden Pebbles

1927

Ireland Hughton



Philagathean Literary Society

MOTTO: "We are oaring, not drifting."

Mystic Word: V. O. V.

Colors: Red and White

Fall Term Officers

President.....	KIRBY GUPTON
Vice-President.....	BRUCE THARRINGTON
Secretary.....	GEORGE FULLER
Treasurer.....	WILLIS MAY
Chaplain.....	HENRY LEONARD
Senior Critic.....	HAROLD GARBEE
Junior Critic.....	DAVID FULLER
Censor.....	OWEN THARRINGTON

Spring Term Officers

President.....	HAROLD GARBEE
Vice-President.....	MAURICE BLEDSOE
Secretary.....	DAVID FULLER
Chaplain.....	ROY AYSUE
Senior Critic.....	KIRBY GUPTON
Junior Critic.....	HENRY LEONARD
Censor.....	JOSH THARRINGTON

1927

Change 11/15/27
Member of Golden Pebbles

Golden Pebbles

*Let you forget
 same 3/1*

*Leland
 Gupton*



Our Choir

SOPRANO

MAVIS JOYNER
 DALMA AYCOCKE
 HAZEL HARPER
 ANNIE LAURIE MAY
 LALAH AYCOCKE
 HATTIE BELL GUPTON
 ELIZABETH FULLER
 GLADYS HOLLINGSWORTH
 NELL JOYNER

TENOR

LELAND GUPTON
 PARHAM GUPTON
 GRAHAM NELMS
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Important Events of the Year



- September 6 Fall Opening.
- September 24 Miss Jessie Mae Luper came to teach Piano at Gold-Sand.
- September 20 Enrollment 100; rather crowded in the old building.
- September 27 - October 15. Library Book and Magazine contest; Juniors won.
- October 18 Moved into the new building amid great rejoicing.
- November 1 Opening of Lunch Room with Mrs. R. E. Garbee, Matron.
- November 1-2 First Quarter Examinations; High School enrollment 110.
- November 5 Miss Doza Upchurch came to teach Latin and Civics; five high school teachers.
- November 20 Juniors go to Raleigh.
- ? The day that Freeland Green didn't talk.
- November 26 Singing Class from Oxford Orphanage.
- ? The time that Roy Ayscue was exempted on English.
- December 19 Inter-Society Meet; Astrotektons won.
- December 22 Christmas Operetta.
- December 22-23 Second Quarter Examinations; High School enrollment 112.
- December 23-January 3 Christmas Holidays.
- January 21 Phi Reception; Oh, Joy!
- February 14 Astro Reception; More Joy!
- February 25 Junior Play, "Mother Mine".
- February 24-25 Third Quarter Examinations; High School enrollment 116.
- Did "a laddie meet a lassie comin' thru the rye"?
- March 1-6 Snow; no school for three days.
- March 11 Senior Night.
- March 15 North Carolina Standard High School Senior Tests.
- ? Basket ball team won.
- ? The day that all the teachers were on time.
- March 17 That wonderful Junior-Senior Banquet. Hurrah for the Juniors!
- March 18-21 Commencement preliminaries.
- March Seniors conducted Chapel services; every senior led one time.
- March 22 Photographer came; no paint and powder in sight, maybe.
- March 25 State High School Supervisor visited us; Gold-Sand made an accredited High School; All glory to G. S. H. S.!
- March 26 Mr. Howard purchased a larger Chevrolet to bring the teachers to school.
- April 15 Senior Play, "Eyes of Love."
- April 29 Miss Luper's Piano Class Recital.
- May 1 Baccalaureate Sermon.
- May 3 Elementary Operetta.
- May 3-5 Fourth Quarter Examinations.
- May 4 Commencement Debate.
- May 5 Class Day Exercises.
- May 6 (Morning) Graduating Exercises; Literary Address.
- May 6 (Afternoon) Reading and Declamation Contests.
- May 6 (Evening) Commencement Play.

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READING CONTEST

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Zena Bledsoe.....	"Poorhouse Nan"
Ava Joyner.....	"Little Blossom"
Alta West.....	"Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight"
Ernestine Cottrell.....	"Brier-Rose"
Mavis Joyner.....	"College Oil Cans"

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DECLAIMERS CONTEST

Reuben Gupton.....	"The New South"
Linwood Murphy.....	"Within the Realms of Hope"
Walter Fuller.....	"Hugo's Defense of His Son"
Owen Tharrington.....	"A Bar to Bolshevism—the Christian School"
Clinton Gupton.....	"Universal Education"
Roy Ayscue.....	"Speech before the Virginia Revolutionary Convention"

Medal to be given by Mr. George W. Parrish

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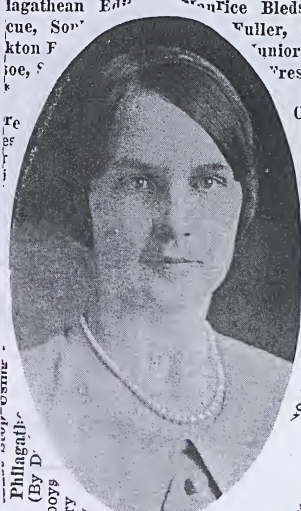
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Our Weekly News Column

Through the kindness of the Franklin Times, our county paper which is printed in Louisburg, the High School has initiated and maintained a weekly news column, beginning early in the Fall of 1926. These columns, managed by a news staff elected by the student body, have greatly helped the life of our school. While we have been "telling the news," we have also been receiving some valuable training in composition and journalism. The school news is collected by the news staff and, together with essays, poems, compositions, etc., which are of special merit, is sent to the Franklin Times each Tuesday. We have greatly enjoyed and profited by this new form of school activity.



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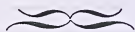
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